

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the application of)

Robert G. BISKEBORN)

Group Art Unit: 3724

Application No.: 09/938,457)

Examiner: ELEY, Timothy V.

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IBM1P008/SJO920010135US1

For: PIN ADAPTER FOR AIR)
BEARING SURFACE (ABS))
LAPPING AND METHOD FOR)
USING THE SAME)

Date: April 16, 2008

Amendment after Notice of Allowance and Prior to Payment of Issue Fee

37 CFR 1.312

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Dear Examiner:

In response to the Notice of Allowance and Fees Due mailed March 27, 2008,
please consider the following remarks.